

The Daily Courant.

Tuesday, March 3. 1724.

Swynda, January 13.

TWO Ships of Force are fitting out here to go in Quest of a Pyrate that cruizes in the Archipelago, and has lately taken a French Ship with considerable Sums on Board, consigned to this City.

Genoa, Feb. 12. The Marquess de St. Philip, who was sent to Parma, to communicate to that Court the Resolution which the King of Spain has taken to abdicate his Crown in favour of the Prince of Asturias, and to pass the rest of his Days in Retreat, in the Palace of St. Ildefonso, with the Queen his Spouse, is lately returned here from thence, having been presented by the Duke of Parma with his Picture set with Diamonds. The Ships belonging to the Trieste Company are passed by this Port, sailing towards Naples, under Convoy of three Imperial Men of War. Two Corsairs, one of Algiers and the other of Tunis, continue cruising off the Island of Elbe, to the great Detriment of the Tuscan Commerce.

Petersbourg, Feb. 5. The cold Weather being now come in, and the Snow fallen in great Abundance, 'tis likely the Court will lay hold of this Opportunity to go for Moscow: Nevertheless, some are of Opinion, that Journey will not be undertaken till the Middle of next Month. During the Continuance of the Conferences began at Constantinople with our Resident relating to the Affairs of Persia, the military Preparations at Veronitz are carried on there with the same Vigour as before. A great Train of Artillery was sent to Veronitz lately, with other necessary Stores for fitting out two Gallies, and other Vessels that are building there.

Madrid, Feb. 21. On the 18th the Magistrates of this City went in a Body to the Church of our Lady of Atocha, as usual, to return Thanks to God, upon the Proclamation of King Lewis the 1st. His Majesty has given Orders for the establishing a Household for his Brother the Infante Don Philip; he has appointed the Marquess del Surco to be that Prince's Governour, and Brigadier Connoct to be Sub Governour. His Majesty has given Brevets of Colonel of Horse to several Lieutenant-Colonels of Foot, and has granted other Commissions to inferior Officers.

Dartmouth, Feb. 28. Yesterday was towed into this Harbour a Wreck, being a Dutch Dogger, laden with Pipe Staves, without any Masts standing, Sails, Anchors, Cables, &c. which was found floating upon the Ocean, and not any living Creature on board her. The Vessel is about 100 Tons, hath the Name of Mary in her Stern, but whereto she belongs, from whence she came, or whether bound, is not to be known, for there is not a Paper to be found in her, all the Ceiling of her Cabin beaten down, and not any Chest, or other Material or Utensils of a Ship to be seen, all being taken off by some Algerine Rover, or plundered by some other Vessels that might find her so floating, or else all washed away by the Violence of the Seas and Waves. The Manner of her being brought in here, is thus, viz. The Four Brothers of Mountbary, bound for St. Sebastian, which by the Extremity of the Weather, and the strong contrary Winds we have of late had, forced her up the Channel, and off of Eddystone saw this Wreck, which she took in Tow, and by the Help of the South West Wind got her so far up as the Stern, and there meeting one of our Pilot Boats, took the Master and Crew to her Assistance; she is now towing to a Warehouse here in order to be unladen, being taken to Custody by the Vice Admiral of the County.

Plymouth, Feb. 28. On the 26th sailed two Dutch Capers of 28 and 32 Guns for Guinea.

This Morning sailed the Algerine Rover without the Company of a Man of War to see him clear of our Channel.

Deal, March 1. Came in the Mary, Captain Fitz-Gerald, from Holland for the Canaries. All the outward-bound are sailed.

London, March 3.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 116 3 qrs. 116 5 8ths, 117 1 qr. 117. South Sea Annuity 102 5 8ths. Bank 129 1 qr. 130, 129 3 qrs. 130. India 147 1 half, to 148. African 19 3 8ths. 119 1 qr. York-Buildings 11 1 half. Royal Exchange Assurance 46 1 qr. London Assurance 7 1 qr.

London, March 3, 1723-4.

At a Meeting of several worthy Aldermen of this City, and a very great Number of other eminent Citizens, it was unanimously agreed to put in Nomination for Sheriff of this City and County of Middlesex for the remaining Part of the Year, in the Room of Sir Felix Feast, deceased,

EDWARD BELLAMY, Esq;
Alderman and Fishmonger.

Being zealously affected to His most Excellent Majesty King GEORGE, His Illustrious Family, and our most happy Constitution in Church and State; and from whom, as a Gentleman of great Worth and Probity, the Citizens of London may expect the most honourable and impartial Proceedings in every thing committed to his Care and Trust.

It is therefore hoped, that every Citizen, who has a due Regard for the Peace and real Welfare of this City, will promote the Election of the said Gentleman.

N.B. The Election will be at Guildhall on Thursday next, being the 5th Instant, at Nine a-Clock in the Morning.

London, Feb. 27, 1723-4.

At a Meeting of several worthy Aldermen, and many Hundreds of Livery-Men, at Vintners Hall, it was unanimously resolved, that Sir John Williams be nominated at the Common-Hall appointed for the Election of a Sheriff to succeed Sir Felix Feast, deceased,

Your Vote and Interest are therefore desired for

Sir JOHN WILLIAMS, Kt.
Alderman and Turkey-Merchant,

to be one of your Sheriffs for the Remainder of the present Year, He being a Gentleman of known Loyalty to His Majesty King GEORGE, and an Eminent Affector of the Rights and Liberties of his Fellow-Citizens.

N.B. The Election will be on Thursday next, being the 5th of March, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall.

York Buildings-House. Feb. 26, 1723.

The Governour and Company of Undertakers for Raising the Thames Water in York-Buildings give Notice, That such Person or Persons as have any new and extraordinary Engine or Machine for raising the largest Quantities of Water, may apply to the Governour, at his House in Great Russell-Street, Bloomsbury, or to the Committee, on Wednesdays, at 11 in the Forenoon, at their Water-Works in York-Buildings, who are impowered to treat for the same, and will give all fitting Encouragement.

Feb. 26, 1723 4.

The Governour and Company of Undertakers for raising the Thames Water in York-Buildings give Notice, That every Person who on the 16th of March next shall have in his own Name and Right 1000 l. or more, either of the old, or of the new purchased Stock of the said Company, and who shall on or before that Day deposit in the Hands of the Company's Cashier, any Number of their present Lottery Tickets, not exceeding Ten, nor less than Five, upon any 1000 l. Stock, so to remain until one Week after the Drawing the said Lottery is finished, shall be entitled to have every such deposited Ticket that happens to be drawn a Prize of 1 l. per Annum, or of 10 s. per Annum, taken and accepted of the Bearer in and upon the 5th Payment for said new Stock, at the Rate of 12 l. for each Prize of 1 l. per Annum, and at 6 l. for each Prize of 10 s. per Annum; and the said Prize Tickets shall be accordingly indorsed by the Cashier, who shall give a Receipt for the same; and upon each Person's delivering up such Receipts, the deposited Tickets shall be restored within one Week after the Drawing of the said Lottery is finished;

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